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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) "Neon" Phuong Huynh. (3) _____
 (2) Gregory Hartwig. (4) _____

Date of Interview: 27 February 2003.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference

c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: All.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

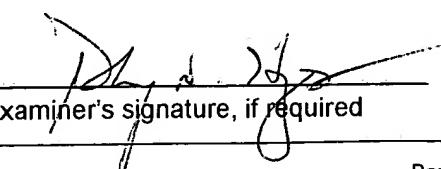
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Suggested to Applicant to amend base claim 1 to recite the specific structure for "vitamin D moiety" such as the ones disclosed on page 11-12 of the specification, and to limit the "targeting molecule" as recited in claim 44 to bisphosphonate, DHEA, estrogen tetracycline, calcitonin, osteonectin and osteopontin to overcome the USC 112 1st written description rejection.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview(if box is checked).

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